

Green Spring Gardens Native Plant Garden Internship Announcement Summer 2013

Job Title: Horticultural Intern- Native Plant Garden

Description: Green Spring Gardens is a 31-acre public garden with 1784 Historic House that offers

themed gardens for enjoyment, education and inspiration.

The internship will focus on the Virginia Native Plant Garden and the adjacent riparian woodland. Potential projects may include working with plant records, documenting/removing invasives from a rare magnolia bog and developing interpretive signage for the

natural areas.

Compensation: Interns will be temporary, part-time employees of the Fairfax County Park Authority.

Compensation is \$10.46/hour for up to 300 hours. Start and end dates are negotiable.

Requirements: Applicants must be enrolled in a two or four year horticulture, botany, environmental

education or similar degree program. Internship responsibilities include developing a project proposal, conducting project activities and presenting a written and oral project

report.

To Apply: Please send email to Mary Olien, mary.olien@fairfaxcounty.gov. In your email please tell us why you are

interested in this internship, describe your qualifications and attach your resume. Deadline March 1, 2013.



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